

LATEST NEWS OF THE WORLD BY TELEGRAPH AND CABLE { CONTINUED ON
PAGES 6 AND 11HARVARD WINS
THREE RACESYale Loses Three Races in Three
Hours.

IDEAL WATER AND WIND

After Eight Years of Defeat the Students of Cambridge are Now Tasting the Sweets of Victory—Pulled Over the Line Six and a Half Lengths Ahead of Their Competitors—A Pretty Contest.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)
New London, Conn., June 29.—Harvard won all of the boat races to-day—three victories over Yale in 3 hours—and the western sky glowed crimson this evening when the Harvard Varsity crew pulled over the finish line six and a half lengths ahead of Yale. After eight years of defeat the students of Cambridge are tasting the sweets of success.

HARVARD WINS ALL RACES.

Harvard's university eight won from Yale over a four mile course by six and a half lengths in 20 minutes and 52 seconds.

Harvard's freshmen eight won from Yale over a two mile course by two and a half lengths in 9 minutes and 33½ seconds.

Harvard's substitute four won from Yale over a two mile course by six lengths in 10 minutes and 51 seconds.

ENGLISH STROKE MODIFIED.

The Harvard crews rowed a modification of the English stroke, coupled with some features of the stroke pulled by Wisconsin and Coach McConville, of Wisconsin, who saw the race, said:

"If Harvard's crew in to-day's form had been at Poughkeepsie, I am afraid they would have given us all a hustle for first place."

Yale has greatly modified the English stroke, and the boat did not go to-day as it did when the famous coach was there.

IDEAL WATER AND WIND.

The races were rowed in almost ideal water and wind, and under clear skies. The course was badly polluted, boats getting into the lanes and cameras kicking up swells after the race had started. Harvard in the Varsity race very nearly collided with a number of small boats at the finish, and a heavy swell impeded Yale.

The Varsity race was prettily rowed, but the defeat was crushing. Yale, however, rowed gamely to the finish, and neither crew showed signs of distress.

The contest between the substitutes constituting the Varsity fours was, like the Varsity eight race, a procession, with Harvard six full lengths ahead at the finish. The freshman effort was a mighty and splendid one up to the last eighth of a mile, when Harvard's superior staying powers, coupled with an unfortunate obstruction of the course of the Yale youngsters by a large steamer, worked for Harvard's advantage and sent the 1902 men of Harvard across the line two lengths ahead of Yale. Both of these races were postponed from the forenoon and were rowed about an hour after they had been scheduled for the afternoon.

BUT LITTLE BETTING.

There was little or no betting. The races preliminary to the Varsity simply served to whet the spectators' appetite.

The forenoon plans called for the rowing of both races upstream, but the rowing of these races in the afternoon made it necessary to pull down stream in all three races.

Harvard had by the fates been allotted the eastern course and Yale had the western lane.

The time of the four-oared race was: Harvard, 10:51; Yale, 11:06.

THE FRESHMEN'S RACE.

The freshman race was a beautiful one. Yale had a lead throughout until the last few hundred yards, when the Yale boat shipped barrels of water and was almost swamped by the swash from a big steamer. It was at this point that Harvard snatched victory from defeat.

The time was a record-breaker on the Thames, Harvard winning in 9 minutes 33½ seconds; Yale, 9 minutes, 40 seconds.

About a quarter past 6 o'clock the Yale Varsity crew left the float at Broadview, closely followed by the oarsmen of Harvard from Row Top. Three minutes later the men had received their instructions from the referee's yacht; had backed into their positions at the start, and were waiting for the word.

BOTH CREWS READY.

With extreme caution Referee Melkham assured himself that both crews were ready, and with a last warning query, "Are you ready?" fired the pistol shot which sent the two crews off in the big race of the day. The Yale boat was calm and placid as an infant lake. The crews rowed, as usual, in staggered lanes, the blue occupying the eastern course, the crimson the western. Yale caught the water first, but Harvard was a close second, and the two eights started out on their long journey practically on even terms. With perfect rhythm the two crews fell into strokes at unison.

HARVARD TAKES THE LEAD.

Reaching down for the mile flag the Yale coxswain swerved slightly from his true course, and directly after the mile flag had been passed Harvard took the lead, which she was not to surrender throughout the race.

In the next half mile this lead was

increased to a full length. Yale adopted a speedier stroke, but she could not overcome Harvard's lead.

Reaching for the finish flag the tide caught the Harvard shell and swerved it woefully. The little coxswain had his head about him, however, and with great skill worked his way back into line and shot down toward the judges' boat.

Harvard crossed the finish line in a whirlwind, rowing beautifully, six and a half lengths to the good. Yale finished in fairly good shape, but her men were somewhat depressed. In terms of minutes Harvard had won her grand race in 20 minutes, 52½ seconds, while Yale crossed the line in 21 minutes, 13 seconds.

ASTEAMER SINKS.

TWELVE PEOPLE FIND A WATER-GRAB.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Chicago, June 29.—The steamer Margaret O'Neil, owned by M. P. Smith, of Cleveland, went down in the storm off Lorain, Lake Erie, last night. Twelve people were lost, including Captain John Brown, his wife and son, and Miss Baldwin, a passenger. The O'Neil, of 551 tons, was bound from Kelly's Island to Cleveland with line-iron, her cargo shifting in the heavy sea, sending her down by the stern.

Seaman John was the only man saved. He was picked up by the steamer State of Ohio to-day. Those lost were:

First Engineer Alex. McClay, of Cleveland.

Second Engineer Rudolph Shinski, St. Clair, Mich.

First Mate John Smith, Cleveland.

Wheelman George Heffron, Cleveland.

Watchman Frank Hipp, of Kelly's Island.

Three deck hands, names unknown to Duncan Coyle, the sole survivor.

A MAYOR ASSASSINATED.

DISAPPOINTED OFFICE SEEKER COMMITS MURDER AND KILLS HIMSELF.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Muskegon, Mich., June 29.—Mayor James Balbirnie was assassinated at noon to-day by J. W. Tayer, a disappointed office seeker. Tayer shot Mayor Balbirnie while the latter was standing in the doorway of his store. The ball entered his left breast above the nipple. After the shooting Frederick turned and ran upstairs to his living rooms and dropped in the hall. He expired fifteen minutes later. Tayer swallowed some carbolic acid and then turned the revolver upon himself and fired. The ball entered his left breast. He died at 1 o'clock.

John W. Tayer was ex-city poor director. At the time of the shooting Western avenue, the main thoroughfare, on which the mayor's store is situated, was filled with people.

The affair arose over the Mayor's refusal to reappoint Tayer director of the city poor. Tayer had held the position for some years.

FARMER HANGED.

HE CUT HIS WIFE'S THROAT WITH A POCKETKNIFE.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Harrisburg, Pa., June 29.—Joseph Hollinger, a self-confessed murderer, was hanged to-day in the Dauphin county jail for the murder of his wife.

Hollinger went to the gallows without fear and died without a struggle. He was an ignorant farmer about 50 years old and was separated from his wife for several months.

Last August he visited her at her home of a neighbor and tried to persuade her to return home. She refused and this so angered him that he knocked her down and then cut her throat with a pocketknife.

He took flight at his crime and an hour later surrendered to a justice of the peace at Hummelstown.

H. B. Plant's Successor.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Savannah, Ga., June 29.—It is confidently predicted here that R. G. Erwin, vice-president of the Plant Investment Company, will succeed the late Henry B. Plant as president of the Investment Company and also the Southern Express Company and the Plant system of railroads and steamships. Hon. F. G. Dubignon, who is Mr. Erwin's law partner, and also attorney for the Plant System, said, in an interview this afternoon, that he had never thought the mantle of Plant would fall upon Erwin's shoulders. He did not know, however, when a meeting of stockholders would be called, but presumed it would be shortly.

A UNIQUE LAUNCHING.

WHITE Doves USED, INSTEAD OF WINE.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Baltimore, Md., June 29.—The steamer Queen Anne, of the Princess Anne Railroad Company, was launched here to-day, a notable feature of the occasion being the omission of the time-honored custom of breaking a bottle of wine over the vessel's bow as she slid from the ways. Instead of this two white doves were released as the vessel began to move, and her deck was strewn with wreaths and garlands of flowers.

Barbarity in Peru.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Lima, Peru, June 29.—Miguel Alvarado, Tex., June 29.—The Confederation of Artisans of Lima has decided to take criminal action against the chief of police, who is accused of torturing members of that body. The Attorney General has brought action against some priests who are charged with illegally treating a child at a school near Chincha, who was suffering from a disease. The accused priests have fled from the country.

SAFE ROBBERY
IN CUBAMajor Acosta. One of the Robbers,
Captured.

HE MAKES A CONFESSION

Says There Were Twenty-nine Robbers, One of Whom Was Colonel Dolz, Also of Cuban Army—A Fishing Party Held Up—United States Cavalry Scouring the Hills For Forty Outlaws.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Havana, June 29.—Advice received here from Guanajay to-day say Major Jose Acosta, of the Cuban army, accused of complicity in the recent safe robbery at Mariel, at first succeeded in escaping the rural police, but was pursued to a small country house, which he reached after dark. On the approach of the guards Acosta, who was at a well drinking, attempted to reach his horse, but the guards fired and

THE TROUBLE
IN BELGIUMSocialists Hurl Anathemas at a
Government Minister.

"VIVE LA REPUBLIQUE"

Prime Minister Van Den Pooreboom Charged With Responsibility For Conflicts Between People and Police—A Crowd Shouts Vive La Republique—King Leopold Consults With Ministers.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Brussels, June 29.—The storm of verbiage was renewed in the Chamber of Deputies to-day. The Socialists hurled anathemas at M. J. Van Den Pooreboom, who endeavored to explain the action taken by the police yesterday, and the Socialists persistently interrupted and insulted the Premier, reproaching him with being responsible for yesterday's conflicts between the people and the police.

turned to a state of tumult. The Socialists, surrounding M. Van Den Pooreboom with clinched fists, denounced him. As the tumult increased the Chamber rose.

ANOTHER CONFLICT.

In the meantime the streets were filled by a shouting mob, which eventually gathered in front of the War Ministry, where a cordon of police and gendarmes with drawn swords attempted to disperse the rioters.

Orders have been issued prohibiting street assemblies to-night.

MANY PERSONS INJURED.

At the conclusion of a great meeting in the Town Hall this evening thousands attempted to cross the Grande Place, in which the Town Hall stands. The gendarmes charged with drawn swords and the crowd retaliated with stones.

Shots were fired on both sides. Three persons were wounded and a police officer was severely stabbed with a shoemaker's knife.

The rioters, on being dispersed, assembled at another point. A large crowd gathered in the Rue Royale, tearing up the paving stones and using these as missiles. Finally the civil guard was ordered out to relieve the police.

Despite these attempts to suppress the disturbances, rioting continued to a late hour, many persons being injured. A feature was the general tearing up of paving stones to be hurled at the police and gendarmes. A tramway conductor received two bullet wounds.

Ultimately the troops were called out. About thirty-five arrests were made, many of those who were taken into custody being in possession of revolvers.

The public prosecutor, with his en-

CHILD WIFE
HELD FOR MURDERThe Sad Case of Mrs. Lizzie M.
Ellis.

VISITED BY HER FATHER

The Deserted Wife Who Killed Her Little Baby Languishes in Prison Cell—Father and Mother Prostrated by the Awful Calamity—Lawyers Volunteer Their Services—A Singular Feature—City Wrought Up.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Richmond, Va., June 29.—Mrs. Lizzie M. Ellis, of Farmville, who was arrested yesterday on the charge of killing her 16-months-old baby in this city Monday night, is in jail. She received a number of visitors to-day, including her old father, from Farmville, Mr. R. A. Allen, one of the best-known citizens of that place. She was calmer to-day, but she broke down when her father came and it was some time before she could regain her composure. The old gentleman is nearly prostrated; the mother completely so, and is critically ill at her home, in Farmville.

ATTORNEYS VOLUNTEER.

Mr. B. T. Osborne, the brother-in-law of Mrs. Ellis; Judge J. M. Cate and Judge A. D. Watkins, of Farmville, and Hon. R. G. Southall, of Amelia Court-house, also called. The last three volunteered to aid in the defense of the unfortunate woman. Mr. L. O. Wendenburg, one of the best-known young criminal lawyers of Richmond, has volunteered to defend her. He will make a stubborn fight in the courts.

A SINGULAR FEATURE.

A singular feature of the case is that it is believed Mrs. Ellis does not realize that she stands charged with a fearful crime. Her grief seems concentrated in herself and she is grief-stricken because she must live without the child. She has given expression to no words of regret or remorse. One of her relatives seems to have no greater appreciation of her situation, as he asked an officer in her presence this morning if he did not think Mrs. Ellis could go home with him this evening.

Dr. Taylor, the Coroner, who has been accustomed for many years to scenes of dire distress, was visibly affected by the pathetic story of helpless, hopeless misery of the young woman.

THE CITY WROUGHT UP.

The whole city is wrought up over the case and she has the sympathy of everybody. The Dispatch is receiving subscriptions to a fund to defray the cost of the burial of the child and the mother's defense. The possibility of this pretty, refined, educated young woman being sent to prison, or the gallows, is too terrible to contemplate. Married before she was 14 years of age, a mother before she was 16, a deserted wife before she was 16, and the murderer of her child before she was 17. That is her life story. How it will end must be determined by a court and twelve men.

HIGHBINDER SHOT.

A DEPUTY SHERIFF WOUNDED IN THE CONFLICT.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

San Jose, Cal., June 29.—In a battle with Highbinders in Chinatown at midnight Deputy Sheriff Bache was shot in the side and badly wounded.

Sheriff Langford received word that six Highbinders were coming from San Francisco to kill Lee On Poon, president of the Hing Sing Tong, and several deputies was on the watch when a gang of Chinese appeared and opened fire, which was returned by the officers.

Deputy Bache was hit at the first volley and it is thought that one of the Chinese was killed, but his body has not been found. Four of the Highbinders were arrested.

RACE DELAYED.

BAD WEATHER INTERFERES WITH THE BIG REGATTA.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

New London, Conn., June 29.—The morning races have been postponed until this afternoon on account of the weather.

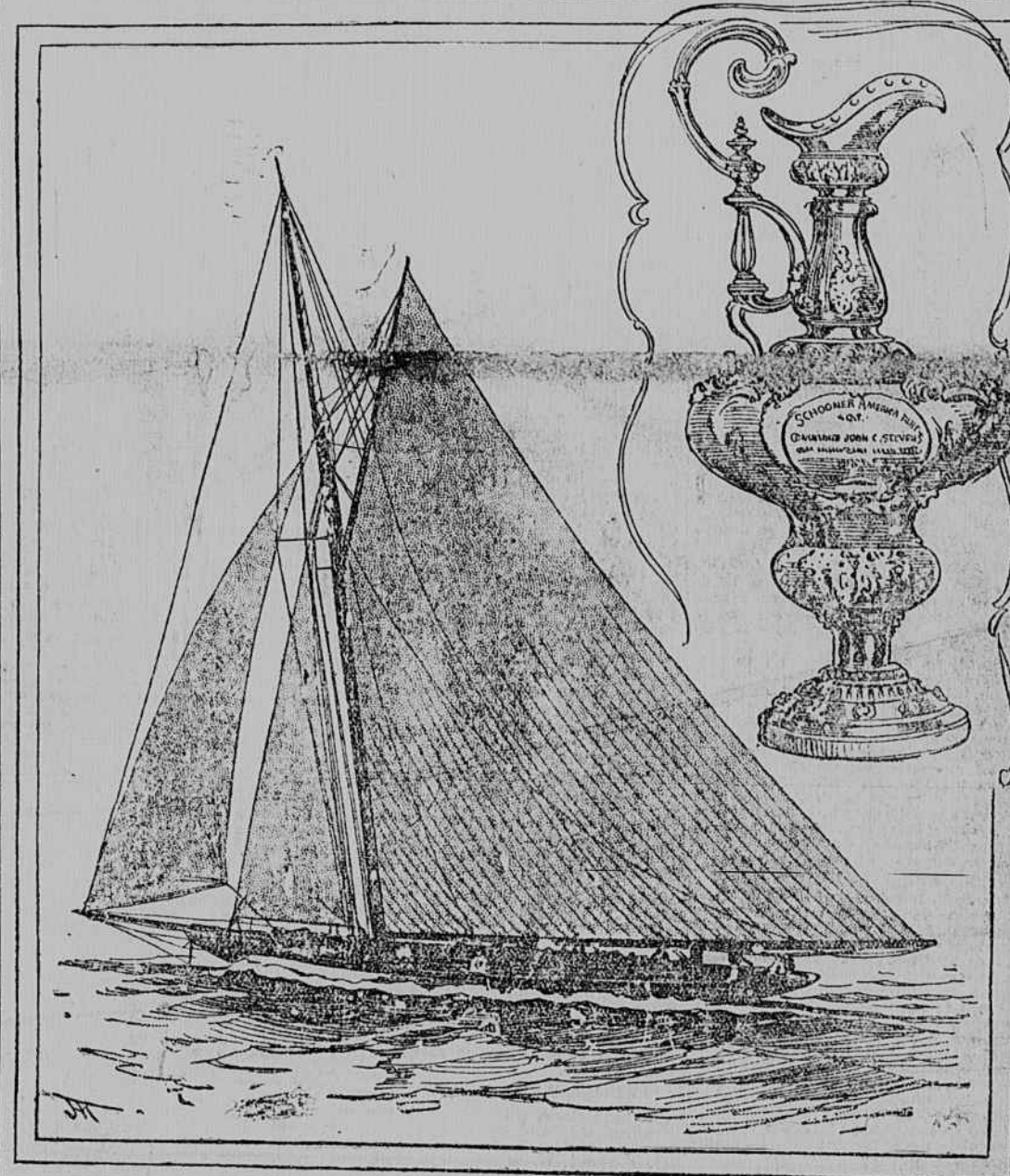
Three races will be rowed down stream, the substitute fours starting at the head of the four-mile course at 3:30 and finishing at the navy-yard. The freshman race will be started immediately after at the navy-yard and finishing at the bridge, while the Varsity will be rowed as scheduled, four miles down the river, starting at 6 o'clock.

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THE NEW YACHT COLUMBIA FASTER THAN THE OLD DEFENDER.

The Columbia, which will meet the Shamrock and endeavor to prevent the Irish yacht from carrying back to Great Britain the famous old America's cup, has already demonstrated that she is a better boat than the Defender, conqueror of Valkyrie III. The Columbia has been accepted by C. Oliver Iselin and is ready for the trial races. The illustration, made from a snap shot, shows the Columbia under what the sea dogs call "working sails." The canvas she spreads consists only of mainsail, staysail and jib. Later on there will be gaff topsail, spinnaker, balloon jib topsail, etc., so that when the Columbia goes to the line to meet the Shamrock she will be staggering under as many yards of canvas as a fair sized full rigged ship can spread.

Acosta dropped on his knees and begged them to spare his life.

IMPLICATES COLONEL DOLZ.

He was taken to Guanajay jail and was afraid the guards would kill him on the way there. On the promise of his life being spared he said his party numbered twenty-nine, among whom, he claimed, was Colonel Carillo Dolz, who was appointed last week chief of the Guanajay rural police. Acosta received \$300 as his share of the Mariel robbery.

Major Bulnes and the head man of the San Francisco plantation attack have been disappeared, and there are rumors that they organized a party near Calajabos.

ANOTHER OUTRAGE.

At Puerto Pedro four boats returning from fishing were halted by armed negroes in five boats one mile from the shore and were compelled to surrender their fish and everything of value on board.

SEARCHING FOR OUTLAWS.
The Tunas rurales and a detachment of American cavalry are scouring the hills in search of forty outlaws who

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SHOUTING FOR REPUBLIC.

Although a vote censuring the government was rejected by 87 to 31 the tumult in the Chamber was so great that the President suspended the sitting. The Socialists then led a cheering crowd, shouting "vive la republique" to the park, where a conflict with gendarmes occurred. Thence the mob proceeded to the public square, the shops closing as the rioters approached.

Van Den Velde, the Socialist leader, was making a speech to the crowd as this dispatch was sent.

SUMMONED FROM THE HAGUE.
Later it was announced that King Leopold had a long conference with M. Van Den Pooreboom, Bergerem and Bernaert. The latter has been summoned from The Hague.

It was reported that M. Van Den Pooreboom would resign.

ANOTHER TUMULT.

When the Chamber reassembled to-night M. Destree, Socialist, called attention to the riots which had occurred since the adjournment, in which he was struck by a gendarme's sword, and demanded the man's punishment. Thereupon the Chamber at once re-

tire staff, remains on permanent duty at the Hotel De Ville.

CLERICAL DOMINATION.

Brussels, June 29.—The bill of M. Van Den Pooreboom seeks to perpetuate the clerical domination of the country. It provides for a proportional representation in districts electing more than three members. The Liberals and Socialists realize that its effect would be to maintain the Catholic representation in the smaller constituencies and practically to exclude the Liberals and Socialists from the larger districts.

A new Bernaert ministry is predicted as the outcome of the agitation. In any event, the crisis is one of the most serious that has occurred in Belgian history.

The Liberals, being in a hopeless minority in parliament, abandoned the idea of fighting the bill by parliamentary methods, and started a campaign of obstruction.

To-day the city wore a completely revolutionary aspect. Tram cars were overturned and used as barricades. The commander of the civil guard asked to be supplied with 15,000 cartridges. The street lamps were smashed, the rioters pricked the horses of the gendarmes

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